

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3727**

S/N 09/772,189

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	STURGIS ET AL.	Examiner:	J. PASCUA
Serial No.:	09/772,189	Group Art Unit:	3727
Filed:	JANUARY 29, 2001	Docket No.:	13578.1US01
Title:	BAG WITH ERGONOMICALLY DISPOSED HANDLE		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2006, with the period for timely response extended by one month to June 7, 2006, the following amendment is respectfully submitted.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.